## Directions for Part 2: MEAP Grade 7 Reading-Day 1 Test

Redistribute all test materials to students, ensuring that each student receives the test booklet/answer document with his or her name on it. Remind students not to open their test booklets until told to do so and to put away all other materials, including dictionaries, calculators, and other reference materials that may not be used during this test. No additional materials, including paper, may be used unless specified as an assessment accommodation.

Students are not allowed to have food, drinks, or snacks on their desk or table during the test. If a student must have any of these items due to medical reasons during the test, the items must be stored away from the test surface (under seats, on the floor, etc.).

Test administrators are responsible for ensuring that students have turned off and put away all prohibited electronic devices. This includes cell phones, calculators, digital media players (e.g., iPods®), etc.

**[SAY]** Do not open your booklet until told to do so.

Make sure you have your own Grade 7 Reading-Day 1 test booklet, answer document, and a No. 2 pencil. Please raise your hand if you do not have your own test booklet or answer document.

Make sure that all students have their own test materials.

**[SAY]** During this test, I can help you understand the directions, but I cannot give you any help on test items or questions. Except for the directions, I cannot define or pronounce words or read any part of the test to you.

**[SAY]** You must turn off and put away all electronic devices, including cell phones and media players like iPods<sup>®</sup>. You may not use a calculator, dictionary, or other reference material on this test. The only items you may have on your desk or table are the materials necessary for the test.

All answers must be marked in your answer document using a No. 2 pencil.

You are now going to take Part 2 of the MEAP Grade 7 Reading-Day 1 test.

Turn to page 2 of your answer document and find the beginning of Day 1, Part 2.

You may now open your test booklet to Part 2, found on page 17. Read the directions silently as I read them aloud.

## **DIRECTIONS:**

In this part, you will read one selection and answer multiple-choice questions and one written-response question. You may look back at the selection as often as needed.

You must mark all of your answers and write your written response in Day 1, Part 2 of your **Answer Document** with a No. 2 pencil. You may underline, circle, or write in this test booklet to help you, but nothing marked in this test booklet will be scored. No additional paper may be used.

For the multiple-choice questions:

Mark only one answer for each question. Completely fill in the corresponding circle on your **Answer Document**. If you erase an answer, be sure to erase completely. Remember that if you skip a question in the test booklet, you need to skip the answer space for that question on the **Answer Document**. If you are not sure of an answer, mark your **best** choice.